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App	Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:													
1.	X	This is a FIRST submission to items	concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.											
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3.	X	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5),												
		(6), (9) and (22) indicated below.												
4.		The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).												
5.	X	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))												
		a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).												
		b. X has been communicated by the International Bureau.												
		c. is not required, as the applica	ation was filed in the United States Receiving C	Office (RO/US).										
6.	×	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))												
	_	a. X is attached hereto.												
7		b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).												
۲.	×	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))												
		a are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).												
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		have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.												
		d. X have not been made and will not be made.												
8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).												
9.	\boxtimes	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).												
10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).												
	Iten	ns 11 to 21 below concern documen	it(s) or information included:											
11.	П	An Information Disclosure Statement	•••											
	_			37 CFR 3 28 and 3 31 is included										
		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.												
	=	A FIRST preliminary amendment.												
14.		A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.												
15.		A substitute specification.												
16.		A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.												
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 C.F.R. 1.821 - 1.825.												
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).												
19.	_	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).												
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21.	X	Applicant(s) requests that the published application include the following assignment information: Terumo Kabushiki Kaisha, Tokyo, Japan					CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY		
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		The following fees are s	ubmitted:					<u> </u>		
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		Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.						\$ 0.00		
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby provided with a general authorization to treat any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission as containing a request therefor for the appropriate length of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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